

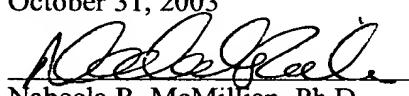
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RESPONSE TO "NOTICE TO COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PATENT  
APPLICATIONS CONTAINING NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE AND/OR AMINO ACID  
SEQUENCE DISCLOSURES"

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Sir:


This is in response to the "Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequences and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures" dated September 3, 2003 (copy enclosed). In accordance with 37 C.F.R § 1.825(d), applicants submit a substitute copy of the Sequence Listing in computer readable format. Applicants state that the contents of the substitute computer readable form of the sequence listing submitted herewith is the same as the paper copy of the Sequence listing filed and that this submission does not introduce new matter into the disclosure of the application.

This response is timely filed because it is within two months from the date of the notice. No fees are believed to be due, however, should any fees be deemed necessary in connection with the filing of this document, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any such fees to deposit account number 13-2855.

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